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1. On about 7 September, the AAA unit commanded by Captain Rau (fnu), which in early August had been rotated to the Zingst area for firing practices, returned to Altwarp. Soldiers of the unit said that during its stay in the Zingst area, the unit fired at towed targets. 1
2. From 28 to 30 August, the 2d Mecz Regt from Karpin took part in an exercise in the Torgelow- Gegensee area. After 1 September, training activities of the 2d Mecz Regt were limited since more than 350 officers and soldiers did harvesting work in the Waren district. The fall inspection which was scheduled to be held on 5 September was postponed to 30 September because of the absence of these soldiers. 2
3. The firing practices of all artillery units of the division were scheduled to commence on 22 September. The artillery battalion of the 2d Mecz Regt was therefore not released for harvesting work, all the more since extensive preparations for the firing practices had to be completed by 22 September.
4. Instead of Captain Seifert (fnu), who was detained for trial, Senior Lieutenant Goldberg (fnu) was acting commanding officer of the tank battalion of the 2d Mecz Regt. Captain Pietzka (fnu), who was recently given a new assignment, attended a training course which was held at the People's Legal School in Berlin. He was scheduled to return to the division as a judge advocate.
5. On 20 August, all supply installations in Karpin were inspected by Soviet medical officers.
6. On 28 August, 20 trucks which were occupied to capacity by KVPs left Karpin for Anklam where the men were scheduled to do harvesting work. 2

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7. Vehicles and weapons which on 8 September were parked in the main parking lot southeast of Sections D and E of the Karpin installation included 22 tanks which were covered with canvas, 32x122-mm field howitzers, 10x57-mm AT guns, and about 30 trucks which were in need of repair.

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1. Comment. A previous report indicated that component units of the Altwarb AAA Regiment were rotated to Zingst in early September. Possibly only elements of the regiment were in the Zingst area in August.
2. Comment. Reports from other KVP stations also mentioned that soldiers had been detached for harvesting work. This measure doubtless affected the KVP training program.

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